

(b) The answer is in the affirmative.

(c) It all depends upon the urgency of work and the funds available for the purpose.

(d) Two major tanks and 20 minor tanks; Rs. 8,290 during the year 1937-38 and Rs. 1,11,142 to end of 1937-38.

(e) *Vide* statement attached. (Appendix).

MESSRS. T. C. BASAPPA (Tarikere Taluk) and T. V. NARASINGAPPA (Tarikere Municipality).—

Q.—40. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the income and expenditure of Ajjampur Farm during the last three years; if Government have contributed any amount, the amount so paid;

(b) the intention of Government in starting this Farm;

(c) whether the income, expenditure, salaries and other expenses for 1937-38 would be furnished?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT.—

A.—40. (a)—

Year.	Income.			Expenditure.		
	Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.
1935-36	20,660	4	10	28,612	0	0
1936-37	19,482	9	10	26,502	0	0
1937-38	24,278	14	4	28,511	15	1
Total	* 64,421	13	0	83,625	15	1

* These figures of income do not include the annual increase in the value of young stock from year to year till they are sold, nor do they include the loss due to the concessional rates of prices fixed by Government for bulls.

This is a Government Institution. Its income and expenditure are controlled in accordance with the annual budget grants.

(b) The intention was to improve the famous breed of cattle, by breeding them under domesticated conditions, and produce a large number of suitable bulls for distribution in the State to effect improvement of cattle. It has been of immense use to the public, in that the progeny of the bulls is decidedly superior to that of the scrub sires: 337 animals have been issued for stud purposes and 568 sold for drought in the State from this Farm.

(c) Income—*Vide* (a) *supra*.

Expenditure.		
Rs.	a.	p.
Salaries and travelling allowance ...	8,064	8 0
Other expenses	20,447	7 1

MESSRS. B. P. BASAPPA SETTY (Chikmagalur Taluk) and K. MALLE GOWDA (Mudgere Taluk).—

Q.—41. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) (i) the number of Primary Schools that existed in the districts of Hassan, Kadur and Shimoga at the time of handing them over to the Local Education Authorities;

(ii) the number of schools that were closed since then year-war up to end of 1937-38;

(iii) the number of schools that are proposed to be closed during the current year;